



Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

TRANSMITTAL FORM

(to be used for all correspondence after initial filing)

		Application Number	09/773,365
		Filing Date	January 31, 2001
		First Named Inventor	Suman Khowala
		Art Unit	1651
		Examiner Name	Irene Marx
Total Number of Pages in This Submission		Attorney Docket Number	8920-000005

ENCLOSURES (check all that apply)

<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Transmittal Form <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fee Attached <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Amendment / Reply <input type="checkbox"/> After Final <input type="checkbox"/> Affidavits/declaration(s) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Extension of Time Request <input type="checkbox"/> Express Abandonment Request <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statement <input type="checkbox"/> Certified Copy of Priority Document(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts/ Incomplete Application <input type="checkbox"/> Response to Missing Parts under 37 CFR 1.52 or 1.53	<input type="checkbox"/> Drawing(s) <input type="checkbox"/> Licensing-related Papers <input type="checkbox"/> Petition <input type="checkbox"/> Petition to Convert to a Provisional Application <input type="checkbox"/> Power of Attorney, Revocation Change of Correspondence Address <input type="checkbox"/> Terminal Disclaimer <input type="checkbox"/> Request for Refund <input type="checkbox"/> CD, Number of CD(s) _____	<input type="checkbox"/> After Allowance Communication to Technology Center (TC) <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to Board of Appeals and Interferences <input type="checkbox"/> Appeal Communication to TC (Appeal Notice, Brief, Reply Brief) <input type="checkbox"/> Proprietary Information <input type="checkbox"/> Status Letter <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other Enclosure(s) (please identify below): Certificate of Deposit; and return receipt postcard
Remarks		

SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT, ATTORNEY, OR AGENT

Firm or Individual name	Harness, Dickey & Pierce, P.L.C.	Attorney Name Robert M. Siminski	Reg. No. 36,007
Signature			
Date	December 17, 2004		

CERTIFICATE OF TRANSMISSION/MAILING

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being facsimile transmitted to the USPTO or deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450 on the date shown below.

Typed or printed name	Robert M. Siminski	Express Mail Label No.	EV 570 165 739 US (12/17/2004)
Signature		Date	December 17, 2004

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.5. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to 12 minutes to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, U.S. Department of Commerce, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 and select option 2.

E V 5 7 0 1 6 5 7 3 9 U S

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it displays a valid OMB control number.

 FEE TRANSMITTAL DEC 17 2004 FOR FY 2005		Complete if Known				
		Application Number	09/773,365			
		Filing Date	January 31, 2001			
		First Named Inventor	Suman Khowala			
		Examiner Name	Irene Marx			
		Art Unit	1651			
TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT		(\$)		450	Attorney Docket No.	8920-000005

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check all that apply)		FEE CALCULATION (continued)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Check <input type="checkbox"/> Credit card <input type="checkbox"/> Money <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/> None Order <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Deposit Account: Deposit Account Number <input type="text" value="08-0750"/> Deposit Account Name <input type="text" value="Harness, Dickey & Pierce, PLC"/>		3. ADDITIONAL FEES <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Large Entity</th> <th>Small Entity</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Fee Code</td> <td>Fee (\$)</td> <td>Fee Code</td> <td>Fee (\$)</td> <td>Fee Description</td> <td>Fee Paid</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1051</td> <td>130</td> <td>2051</td> <td>65</td> <td>Surcharge - late filing fee or oath</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1052</td> <td>50</td> <td>2052</td> <td>25</td> <td>Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1053</td> <td>130</td> <td>1053</td> <td>130</td> <td>Non-English specification</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1812</td> <td>2,520</td> <td>1812</td> <td>2,520</td> <td>For filing a request for reexamination</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1804</td> <td>920*</td> <td>1804</td> <td>920*</td> <td>Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1805</td> <td>1,840*</td> <td>1805</td> <td>1,840*</td> <td>Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1251</td> <td>120</td> <td>2251</td> <td>60</td> <td>Extension for reply within first month</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1252</td> <td>450</td> <td>2252</td> <td>225</td> <td>Extension for reply within second month</td> <td>450</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1253</td> <td>1020</td> <td>2253</td> <td>510</td> <td>Extension for reply within third month</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1254</td> <td>1,590</td> <td>2254</td> <td>795</td> <td>Extension for reply within fourth month</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1255</td> <td>2,160</td> <td>2255</td> <td>1080</td> <td>Extension for reply within fifth month</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1401</td> <td>500</td> <td>2401</td> <td>250</td> <td>Notice of Appeal</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1402</td> <td>500</td> <td>2402</td> <td>250</td> <td>Filing a brief in support of an appeal</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1403</td> <td>1000</td> <td>2403</td> <td>500</td> <td>Request for oral hearing</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1452</td> <td>500</td> <td>2452</td> <td>250</td> <td>Petition to revive – unavoidable</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1453</td> <td>1500</td> <td>2453</td> <td>750</td> <td>Petition to revive – unintentional</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1501</td> <td>1400</td> <td>2501</td> <td>700</td> <td>Utility issue fee (or reissue)</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1502</td> <td>800</td> <td>2502</td> <td>400</td> <td>Design issue fee</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1460</td> <td>130</td> <td>1460</td> <td>130</td> <td>Petitions to the Commissioner</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1807</td> <td>50</td> <td>1807</td> <td>50</td> <td>Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1806</td> <td>180</td> <td>1806</td> <td>180</td> <td>Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>8021</td> <td>40</td> <td>8021</td> <td>40</td> <td>Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1809</td> <td>790</td> <td>2809</td> <td>395</td> <td>Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1810</td> <td>790</td> <td>2810</td> <td>395</td> <td>For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>1801</td> <td>790</td> <td>2801</td> <td>395</td> <td>Request for Continued Examination (RCE)</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">SUBTOTAL (1) (\$0)</td> <td colspan="5">*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$450)</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE</td> <td colspan="5">4. SEARCH/EXAMINATION FEES</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Total Claims</td> <td>-20 **</td> <td>= 0</td> <td>X</td> <td>= 0</td> <td>1111</td> <td>500</td> <td>2111</td> <td>250</td> <td>Utility Search Fee</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Independent Claims</td> <td>-3 **</td> <td>= 0</td> <td>X</td> <td>= 0</td> <td>1112</td> <td>100</td> <td>2112</td> <td>50</td> <td>Design Search Fee</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Multiple Dependent</td> <td></td> <td></td> <td></td> <td>= 0</td> <td>1113</td> <td>300</td> <td>2113</td> <td>150</td> <td>Plant Search Fee</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">Large Entity</td> <td colspan="5">Small Entity</td> <td>1114</td> <td>500</td> <td>2114</td> <td>250</td> <td>Reissue Search Fee</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Fee Code</th> <th>Fee (\$)</th> <th>Fee Code</th> <th>Fee (\$)</th> <th>Fee Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1202</td> <td>50</td> <td>2202</td> <td>25</td> <td>Claims in excess of 20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1201</td> <td>200</td> <td>2201</td> <td>100</td> <td>Independent claims in excess of 3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1203</td> <td>360</td> <td>2203</td> <td>180</td> <td>Multiple dependent claim, if not paid</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1204</td> <td>200</td> <td>2204</td> <td>100</td> <td>** Reissue independent claims over original patent</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1205</td> <td>50</td> <td>2205</td> <td>25</td> <td>** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> </td> <td colspan="5"> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Fee Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Claims in excess of 20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Independent claims in excess of 3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Multiple dependent claim, if not paid</td> </tr> <tr> <td>** Reissue independent claims over original patent</td> </tr> <tr> <td>** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> </td> <td>1311</td> <td>200</td> <td>2311</td> <td>100</td> <td>Utility Examination Fee</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">SUBTOTAL (2) (\$0)</td> <td colspan="5">SUBTOTAL (4) (\$0)</td> <td>1312</td> <td>130</td> <td>2312</td> <td>65</td> <td>Design Examination Fee</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"></td> <td colspan="5"></td> <td>1313</td> <td>160</td> <td>2313</td> <td>80</td> <td>Plant Examination Fee</td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="2"></td> <td colspan="5"></td> <td>1314</td> <td>600</td> <td>2314</td> <td>300</td> <td>Reissue Examination Fee</td> <td></td> </tr> </tbody></table>					Large Entity	Small Entity	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid	1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath		1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet		1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification		1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination		1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action		1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action		1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month		1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month	450	1253	1020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month		1254	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month		1255	2,160	2255	1080	Extension for reply within fifth month		1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal		1402	500	2402	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal		1403	1000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing		1452	500	2452	250	Petition to revive – unavoidable		1453	1500	2453	750	Petition to revive – unintentional		1501	1400	2501	700	Utility issue fee (or reissue)		1502	800	2502	400	Design issue fee		1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner		1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)		1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt		8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)		1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))		1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))		1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		SUBTOTAL (1) (\$0)		*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$450)					2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE		4. SEARCH/EXAMINATION FEES					Total Claims	-20 **	= 0	X	= 0	1111	500	2111	250	Utility Search Fee		Independent Claims	-3 **	= 0	X	= 0	1112	100	2112	50	Design Search Fee		Multiple Dependent				= 0	1113	300	2113	150	Plant Search Fee		Large Entity		Small Entity					1114	500	2114	250	Reissue Search Fee		<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Fee Code</th> <th>Fee (\$)</th> <th>Fee Code</th> <th>Fee (\$)</th> <th>Fee Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1202</td> <td>50</td> <td>2202</td> <td>25</td> <td>Claims in excess of 20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1201</td> <td>200</td> <td>2201</td> <td>100</td> <td>Independent claims in excess of 3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1203</td> <td>360</td> <td>2203</td> <td>180</td> <td>Multiple dependent claim, if not paid</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1204</td> <td>200</td> <td>2204</td> <td>100</td> <td>** Reissue independent claims over original patent</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1205</td> <td>50</td> <td>2205</td> <td>25</td> <td>** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20	1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3	1203	360	2203	180	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1204	200	2204	100	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1205	50	2205	25	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Fee Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Claims in excess of 20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Independent claims in excess of 3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Multiple dependent claim, if not paid</td> </tr> <tr> <td>** Reissue independent claims over original patent</td> </tr> <tr> <td>** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>					Fee Description	Claims in excess of 20	Independent claims in excess of 3	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1311	200	2311	100	Utility Examination Fee		SUBTOTAL (2) (\$0)		SUBTOTAL (4) (\$0)					1312	130	2312	65	Design Examination Fee									1313	160	2313	80	Plant Examination Fee									1314	600	2314	300	Reissue Examination Fee	
Large Entity	Small Entity																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																							
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1052	50	2052	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1251	120	2251	60	Extension for reply within first month																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1252	450	2252	225	Extension for reply within second month	450																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																			
1253	1020	2253	510	Extension for reply within third month																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1254	1,590	2254	795	Extension for reply within fourth month																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1255	2,160	2255	1080	Extension for reply within fifth month																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1401	500	2401	250	Notice of Appeal																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1402	500	2402	250	Filing a brief in support of an appeal																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1403	1000	2403	500	Request for oral hearing																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1452	500	2452	250	Petition to revive – unavoidable																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1453	1500	2453	750	Petition to revive – unintentional																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1501	1400	2501	700	Utility issue fee (or reissue)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1502	800	2502	400	Design issue fee																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Commissioner																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1809	790	2809	395	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1810	790	2810	395	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1801	790	2801	395	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
SUBTOTAL (1) (\$0)		*Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid SUBTOTAL (3) (\$450)																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE		4. SEARCH/EXAMINATION FEES																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																						
Total Claims	-20 **	= 0	X	= 0	1111	500	2111	250	Utility Search Fee																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																															
Independent Claims	-3 **	= 0	X	= 0	1112	100	2112	50	Design Search Fee																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																															
Multiple Dependent				= 0	1113	300	2113	150	Plant Search Fee																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																															
Large Entity		Small Entity					1114	500	2114	250	Reissue Search Fee																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Fee Code</th> <th>Fee (\$)</th> <th>Fee Code</th> <th>Fee (\$)</th> <th>Fee Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1202</td> <td>50</td> <td>2202</td> <td>25</td> <td>Claims in excess of 20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1201</td> <td>200</td> <td>2201</td> <td>100</td> <td>Independent claims in excess of 3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1203</td> <td>360</td> <td>2203</td> <td>180</td> <td>Multiple dependent claim, if not paid</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1204</td> <td>200</td> <td>2204</td> <td>100</td> <td>** Reissue independent claims over original patent</td> </tr> <tr> <td>1205</td> <td>50</td> <td>2205</td> <td>25</td> <td>** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>		Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description	1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20	1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3	1203	360	2203	180	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	1204	200	2204	100	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	1205	50	2205	25	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	<table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Fee Description</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Claims in excess of 20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Independent claims in excess of 3</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Multiple dependent claim, if not paid</td> </tr> <tr> <td>** Reissue independent claims over original patent</td> </tr> <tr> <td>** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>					Fee Description	Claims in excess of 20	Independent claims in excess of 3	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid	** Reissue independent claims over original patent	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent	1311	200	2311	100	Utility Examination Fee																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																									
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Description																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1202	50	2202	25	Claims in excess of 20																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1201	200	2201	100	Independent claims in excess of 3																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1203	360	2203	180	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1204	200	2204	100	** Reissue independent claims over original patent																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
1205	50	2205	25	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																				
Fee Description																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
Claims in excess of 20																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
Independent claims in excess of 3																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
Multiple dependent claim, if not paid																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
** Reissue independent claims over original patent																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																								
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$0)		SUBTOTAL (4) (\$0)					1312	130	2312	65	Design Examination Fee																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
							1313	160	2313	80	Plant Examination Fee																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													
							1314	600	2314	300	Reissue Examination Fee																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																																													

**or number previously paid, if greater; For Reissues, see above

SUBMITTED BY		Complete if applicable			
Name (Print/Type)	Robert M. Siminski	Registration No. (Attorney/Agent)	36,007	Telephone	248-641-1600
Signature				Date	December 17, 2004

WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.



MTCC

**BUDAPEST TREATY ON THE INTERNATIONAL
RECOGNITION OF THE DEPOSIT OF MICROORGANISMS
FOR THE PURPOSES OF PATENT PROCEDURE**

INTERNATIONAL FORM

To

Dr. S. Sengupta
Indian Institute of Chemical
Biology
Jadavpur
Kolkata 700 032

NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE DEPOSITOR

RECEIPT IN THE CASE OF AN ORIGINAL DEPOSIT
issued pursuant to Rule 7.1 by the
INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY
Identified at the bottom of this page

I. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MICROORGANISM

Identification reference given by the DEPOSITOR:

MTCC S2-002 (IICB-41)

Accession number given by the
INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY.

MTCC 5091

II. SCIENTIFIC DESCRIPTION AND/OR PROPOSED TAXONOMIC DESIGNATION

The microorganism identified under I above was accompanied by:

 a scientific description a proposed taxonomic designation

(Mark with a cross where applicable)

III. RECEIPT AND ACCEPTANCE

This International Depository Authority accepts the microorganism identified under I above,

which was received by it on 4.10.2002 (date of the original deposit)¹

IV. RECEIPT OF REQUEST FOR CONVERSION

The microorganism identified under I above was received by this International Depository

Authority on 24.10.2001 (date of the original deposit) and a request to convert the original
deposit under the Budapest Treaty was received by it on 20.11.2002 (date of receipt of request for conversion)

V. INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY

Name: Dr. Tapan Chakrabarti

Microbial Type Culture

Address: Collection & Gene Bank
Institute of Microbial Technology
Sector 39 A, Chandigarh 160036
INDIASignature(s) of person(s) having the power to represent the
International Depository Authority or of authorized official(s):

Tapan Chakrabarti

Date:

December 5, 2002

¹ Where Rule 6.4(d) applies, such date is the date on which the status of International Depository Authority was acquired

MTCC

**BUDAPEST TREATY ON THE INTERNATIONAL
RECOGNITION OF THE DEPOSIT OF MICROORGANISMS
FOR THE PURPOSES OF PATENT PROCEDURE**

INTERNATIONAL FORM

<p>To</p> <p>Dr. S. Sengupta Indian Institute of Chemical Biology Jadavpur Kolkata 700 032</p> <p>NAME AND ADDRESS OF THE PARTY TO WHOM THE VIABILITY STATEMENT IS ISSUED</p>	<p>VIABILITY STATEMENT issued pursuant to Rule 10.2 by the INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY Identified on the following page</p>
---	--

I. DEPOSITOR	II. IDENTIFICATION OF THE MICROORGANISM
<p>Name: Dr. S. Sengupta Indian Institute of Chemical Biology Address: as above.</p>	<p>Accession number given by the INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY MTCC 5091 Date of the deposit or of the transfer: November 20, 2002</p>

III. VIABILITY STATEMENT
<p>The viability of the microorganism identified under II above was tested on December 2, 2002 and ² on that date, the said microorganism was</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ¹ viable</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> ² no longer viable</p>

¹ Indicate the date of the original deposit or, where the new deposit or a transfer has been made, the most recent relevant date (date of the new deposit or date of the transfer).

² In the cases referred to in Rule 10.2(a)(ii) and (iii), refer to the most recent viability test.

³ Mark with a cross the applicable box

IV. CONDITIONS UNDER WHICH THE VIABILITY TEST HAS BEEN PERFORMED***V. INTERNATIONAL DEPOSITORY AUTHORITY**

Name: Dr. Tapan Chakrabarti
Microbial Type Culture
collection & Gene Bank
Address: Institute of Microbial
Technology
Sector 39, Chandigarh 160036
INDIA

Signature(s) of person(s) having the power to represent the
International Depository Authority or of authorised official(s).



Date: December 5, 2002

* Fill in if the information has been requested and if the results of the test were negative.